### U.S. Department of Justice Washington, DC 20530

Exhibit A
To Registration Statement
Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

OMB NO. 1124-0006

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Furnish this exhibit for EACH foreign principal listed in an initial statement and for EACH additional foreign principal acquired subsequently.

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Name and address of registrant	•	2. Registration No.	
Venable LLP		5931	
3. Name of foreign principal	4. Principal address of foreign principal		
Sheikh Khalid Bin Saqr Al Qasimi, Crown Prince and Deputy Ruler, Ras Al Khaimah, United Arab Emirates	United Arab Emirates	· .	
5. Indicate whether your foreign principal is one of the following:			
▼ Foreign government		2 CRI	
Foreign political party	•	2010 MAY 28 RM/ISS/REGIS	
Foreign or domestic organization: If either, check on	e of the following:	RE	
Partnership	Committee	<b>28</b>	
☐ Corporation ☐	Voluntary group	2010 MAY 28 PM 3: CRM/ISS/REGISTRATION	
Association	Other (specify):		
☐ Individual-State nationality		Z -	
6. If the foreign principal is a foreign government, state:			
<ul> <li>a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant Crown Prince and Deputy Ruler, Ras Al Khaimah, Unit</li> </ul>	ed Arab Emirates		
b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals Sheikh Khalid Bin Saqr Al Qasimi			
7. If the foreign principal is a foreign political party, state:		. 144Man	
a) Principal address N/A			
b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals	•		
c) Principal aim			
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8. If	the foreign principal is not a foreign government or a foreign political party,			
	a) State the nature of the business or activity of this foreign principal.		•	
	N/A	•		
	b) Is this foreign principal			
	Supervised by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal	Yes	No	
	Owned by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal	Yes 🗌	No	
	Directed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal	Yes 🗌	No	
•	Controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal	Yes 🗌	No	
	Financed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal	Yes 🗌	No	
	Subsidized in part by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal	Yes 🗌	No	
9. Ex	plain fully all items answered "Yes" in Item 8(b). (If additional space is needed, a full insert page must be a	used)		
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10. It	the foreign principal is an organization and is not owned or controlled by a foreign government, foreign polit	ical party or ot	her fore	eign
p	rincipal, state who owns and controls it.			
N/A				
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Date of	of Exhibit A Name and Title Signature	·		
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### Exhibit B To Registration Statement

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Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

INSTRUCTIONS: A registrant must furnish as an Exhibit B copies of each written agreement and the terms and conditions of each oral agreement with his foreign principal, including all modifications of such agreements, or, where no contract exists, a full statement of all the circumstances by reason of which the registrant is acting as an agent of a foreign principal. One original and two legible photocopies of this form shall be filed for each foreign principal named in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the registrant.

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3. Name of Foreign Principal		28 1615
Sheikh Khalid Bin Saqr Al Qasimi, Crown Prince and Deputy Ruler, Ra	s Al Khaimah, United Arab Emirates	2010 MAY 28 PM 3: CRM/ISS/REGISTRATION
Check Appr	opriate Boxes:	
4. The agreement between the registrant and the above-named for a copy of the contract to this exhibit.	eign principal is a formal written contract.	If this box is checked, attach
5. There is no formal written contract between the registrant and to principal has resulted from an exchange of correspondence. If this box copy of any initial proposal which has been adopted by reference in successions.	k is checked, attach a copy of all pertinent	the above-named foreign correspondence, including a
6. The agreement or understanding between the registrant and the exchange of correspondence between the parties. If this box is checked or all agreement or understanding, its duration, the fees and expenses, if	d, give a complete description below of th	
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7. Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding.

Counseling and supporting Principal in developing a positive relationship with the United States through arranging meetings with government officials and representatives in Washington, D.C.

Date of Exhibit B 5/28/10	Name and Title Michael Ferrell, Partner		Signati	I.W./smf. Lichal Ferrall	· /~
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Footnote: Political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act means any activity which the person engaging in believes will, or that the person intends to, in any way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

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April 26, 2010

His Highness Sheikh Khalid Bin Saqr Al Qasimi Crown Prince and Deputy Ruler Ras Al Khaimah United Arab Emirates

Your Highness:

We are pleased that Your Highness has selected Venable as counsel.

The purpose of this letter is to confirm our engagement as counsel and to provide you with certain information concerning our fees, billing and collection policies, and other terms that will govern our relationship. Although we do not wish to be overly formal in our relationship with you, we have found it a helpful practice to confirm with our clients the nature and terms of our representation.

My partner Thomas Quinn and I will be the responsible partners in charge of this matter. Venable will bill Your Highness a fixed fee of \$50,000 for this limited engagement. Our fee will be payable in two monthly installments of \$25,000 each payable on or before May 1, 2010 and June 1, 2010. We will commence our engagement upon receipt of the first installment.

I have attached for your review and reference a statement of Venable's billing and engagement policies. Please review these policies with care and let me know if you have any questions. These policies will govern and control our billing and engagement relationship. Our practice is to bill monthly, based on services performed in the previous month, including charges incurred on your behalf. I will be personally responsible for he preparation of your invoices. We request and expect payment on receipt of the monthly statement.

Your Highness acknowledges that in connection with our work on this matter, we may correspond or convey documentation via Internet e-mail unless you expressly request otherwise and that neither you nor Venable has control over the performance, reliability, availability, or security of Internet e-mail.

I trust that the foregoing arrangement is acceptable to you. If not, please contact me immediately so that we may discuss any particular questions or concerns you may

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have about this arrangement. Venable encourages candid discussion about fees and invoices. We urge Your Highness to contact any Venable partner responsible for providing services included on a statement if you have any questions or comments on an invoice or any other matter.

Again, thank you for selecting Venable as your counsel, and we very much look forward to working with you on this matter.

Very truly yours,

Thomas D. Washburne, Jr.

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## STATEMENT OF BILLING AND ENGAGEMENT POLICIES

## CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

Venable is a large firm with offices in the District of Columbia, New York, California, Maryland, and Virginia, and we represent many other companies and individuals. We also represent various governmental entities including the U.S. Department of the Treasury. Our work for Treasury involves certain aspects of the Troubled Asset Recovery Program ("TARP"), but not the Internal Revenue Service (which is part of Treasury). We also represent the State of Maryland and the District of Columbia plus Baltimore and other Maryland counties and various other federal agencies and departments.

It is possible that during the time we are representing you, some of our present or future clients will be engaged in transactions, or encounter disputes, with you. You agree that we may continue to represent, and may undertake in the future to represent, existing or new clients in any matter, including litigation, that is not substantially related to our work for you even if the interests of such clients in those matters are directly adverse to you. We agree, however, that in any instance where, as a result of our representation of you, we have obtained proprietary or other confidential information of a non-public nature that, if known by such other client, could be used in such other matter to your material disadvantage, we will, as appropriate, construct a firewall to prevent Venable lawyers representing the other client in such other matter from learning that information.

#### INSURANCE

You should understand that, where the scope of our representation involves or may involve a claim or potential claim against you, you may have an insurance policy that may provide coverage of some sort for the claim or potential claim. Insurance companies are offering a wide variety of insurance products, and we urge you to consult with your insurance representative (or carrier), risk manager, or other appropriate persons about the potential for insurance coverage for any claim or potential claim. Unless you specifically request our advice and provide us with a copy of the policy, we assume no obligation to advise you with respect to insurance coverage for any claim or potential claim within the scope of our representation of you.

#### LEGAL SERVICE FEES

Will pay a fee of \$50,000.00 payable in two installments of \$25,000 due on or before May 1, 2010 and June 1, 2010. Venable's Finance Committee must approve any changes in the billing arrangements and policies set forth in this Statement and the accompanying engagement letter.

**EXPERTS** 

We will engage expert consultants and witnesses on your behalf, but you will be responsible for paying their costs and expenses directly to them. These experts and consultants will bill you separately.

SCOPE OF ENGAGEMENT Our engagement and the services that we will provide to you are limited to the matter identified in the accompanying letter. Any changes in the scope of our representation as described in this letter must be approved in writing.

**ESCROW ACCOUNT** 

If we receive advanced funds belonging to you that, in our best judgment, are large enough to earn a material amount of interest, we will discuss investment options with you. If in our best judgment the funds are not large enough or are not to be held long enough to earn at least \$50 interest, we will place these funds in a pooled trust account, pursuant to local rules, the interest on which is payable to a charitable organization.

**PAYMENT** 

Payment is due on receipt and, except as expressly agreed to otherwise, is not contingent or dependent on the outcome of the engagement, such as prevailing in a lawsuit or concluding a transaction. If an invoice remains unpaid after thirty (30) days, we will assess a carrying charge of fifteen percent (15%) per annum (1.25% / month) on the unpaid balance that will be added to the invoice. We reserve the right to end our work on this matter and any other matters for which we may be simultaneously engaged, and to withdraw from the representation on proper notice if we do not receive payment in full within sixty (60) days from the date of the invoice. If you have any special policies with respect to information you want to have included in our invoices, please advise us promptly. Please review our invoices when you receive them so that any questions you may have are raised in a timely fashion.

**TERMINATION** 

Either of us may terminate the engagement at any time for any reason by 30 day written notice. Unless previously terminated, our representation of you will terminate on our sending you our final statement for services rendered in this matter. Unless you engage us after termination of this matter, we will have no continuing obligation to advise you with respect to future legal developments, such as changes in the applicable laws or regulations, that could have an effect on your future rights and liabilities.

**RECORDS AND FILES** 

Following the conclusion of our representation, we will keep confidential any non-public information you have supplied to us that we retain in accordance with applicable rules of professional conduct. At your request, we will return your papers and property to you promptly on receipt of payment for outstanding fees and costs. The firm will retain its own files pertaining to the matter in accordance with the firm's records retention program. For various reasons, including the

after a reasonable time and without further notice after the termination of the engagement.

minimization of unnecessary storage expenses, we reserve the right to destroy or otherwise dispose of any such document or other materials

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